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Yasufumi Asao)	
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Filed: July 19, 2005)	
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For: ECB-TYPE COLOUR LIQUID)	
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RESTRAINED TEMPERATURE)	
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RESPONSE TO ERRONEOUS NOTIFICATION OF
MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371
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Sir:

The NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) mailed November 30, 2007 (copy attached) mistakenly states that no Declaration was filed. This statement is respectfully traversed. In fact, the executed Declaration/Power of Attorney was filed on July 19, 2005, and a copy of the same is enclosed together with a copy of the date-stamped postcard receipt evidencing filing of the same. MPEP 503.

FORMAL MATTERS

Since the Declaration was timely filed on July 19, 2005, Applicant respectfully believes that the Notice was issued in error; accordingly, no fee is believed due. However, any fee required in connection with this paper should be charged to Deposit Account 06-1205.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

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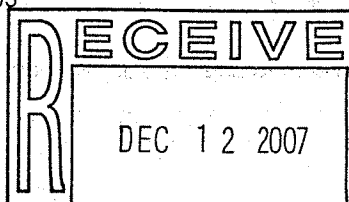
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**NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371
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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- Priority Document
- Copy of the International Application filed on 07/19/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 07/19/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 07/19/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 07/19/2005
- Copy of references cited in ISR filed on 07/19/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 07/19/2005
- Assignment filed on 07/19/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 07/19/2005



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DUE DATE 1/30/08

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The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

- \$130 Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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Sir:

Kindly acknowledge receipt of the accompanying:

- ☒ Specifications, claims and abstract 28 pages, with Transmittal Form
☒ Patent Application Bibliographic Data Sheet 02 sheets 1
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☒ 10 Sheets of X formal _____ informal drawings
☒ Check for \$ 1260.00 (filing fee)
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☐ Petition under 37 CFR 1.136 and check for \$ _____
☒ Other (specify) IOS, 1449, Written Opinion, Int'l. Search report, copy of WO 2005/00670A1
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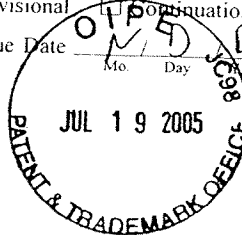
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